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## Westside Salmon Announcement 17 Emergency Order 17

This is the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in Dillingham with an announcement regarding commercial fishing in the Nushagak District. This is Westside salmon announcement number 17 issued Thursday, June 28 at 12:00 p.m.

As previously announced, commercial fishing in the Igushik Section of the Nushagak District will close at 7:00 p.m. June 28. Commercial fishing with set gillnets in the Nushagak and Igushik Sections of the Nushagak District will open for 7 hours from 8:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. June 29.

The earliest possible drift gillnet opening would be 1:00 p.m. June 29.

Daily sockeye salmon escapement into the Wood River was 21,936 and the count at 6:00 a.m. was 3,096, making the cumulative 149,028. Daily king salmon escapement into the Nushagak River was 1,290, making the cumulative 28,947. Daily sockeye salmon escapement into the Nushagak River was 14,876, making the cumulative 86,692. Cumulative Igushik River escapement through 6:00 a.m. is 4,836.

This has been the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in Dillingham.